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Reply to Office Action dated April 25, 2006

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant : Takashi Honda  
Serial No. : 09/271,502  
For : RECORDING/REPRODUCING APPARATUS  
AND RECORDING/REPRODUCING METHOD  
Filed : March 18, 1999  
Examiner : Chevalier, Robert  
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**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action mailed on April 25, 2006, having a three-month statutory period for response set to expire on July 25, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows.

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